

How do I pay a ticket?

Pay within 30 days in the county court clerk's office where the ticket was received. To pay a ticket, visit or call the clerk's office. In some counties, tickets may be paid on-line.

To dispute a ticket, you must contact the clerk of court and request a hearing to contest the ticket. Details for setting a court date are on the back of the ticket you received. Or call the clerk's office in that country for instructions.

To see what tickets are affecting your driving privilege, you can check the status of your driver license 24 hours a day 7 days a week online at www.flhsmv.gov. Select "Driver License Check" under popular links and enter your Florida driver license number! You can see what ticket numbers still need to be paid, along with the court to contact and their phone number. Only the courts can tell you what the ticket was for and how much the fee is.

If you pay the ticket late, you will owe a \$60.00 service fee to reinstate your driving privilege. Some Florida courts will accept this payment which will save you a trip to the driver license office. Please ask if they offer this service! If you're paying late and the court cannot accept the service fee, take the proof of payment that the court provides to you (a d-6 clearance form) along with the \$60.00 service fee to your nearest Florida driver license office for immediate clearance of your record. If you paid late using the court's on line service, check with the court to see if you can print out a d-6 clearance form- if not get the court to mail it to you. We do not accept paper clearances from Broward and Miami-Dade County Courts. Those courts must update the court clearance requirements electronically. We accept paper (D6) clearance documents from other counties.

You can locate the nearest driver license office online at www.flhsmv.gov , then select Offices.

Extensions: The Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles cannot grant extensions for additional time, nor can we waive late fees or reinstatement fees, so please resolve this matter with the court before the suspension date.